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30 September 1977

The Honorable Robert W. Fri  
Acting Administrator, Energy Research  
and Development Administration  
Washington, D. C. 20545

Dear Mr. Fri:

Thank you for your letter of 23 September 1977 designating Mr. Ray E. Chapman as representative to the National Foreign Intelligence Board. Ray is known to the NFIB, and we look forward to his continuing contributions.

General Giller has been an effective representative for ERDA and has laid the groundwork for what will be new roles in the years ahead both for the National Foreign Intelligence Board and for the important intelligence issues involving the new Department of Energy.

Yours sincerely,

STANSFIELD TURNER

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Admiral Stansfield Turner, US Navy  
Director of Central Intelligence  
Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Admiral Turner:

As you know, Ed Giller will be resigning effective September 30, 1977, to assist the Joint Chiefs of Staff as their representative to the Comprehensive Test Ban negotiations in Geneva.

In my capacity as the Senior Intelligence Official I hereby designate Mr. Ray E. Chapman, Director, Division of International Security Affairs, as Senior Intelligence Officer and representative to the National Foreign Intelligence Board, effective September 23, 1977. In Mr. Chapman's absence Dr. Julio L. Torres, Deputy Director, ISA, will assume the functions and responsibilities of this position.

With the activation of the Department of Energy on October 1, 1977, the position of Senior Intelligence Official will pass to Secretary Schlesinger.

On the occasion of this letter, I wish to thank you for your assistance to ERDA as well as for the support you and your organizations have given to me during my tenure as Acting Administrator.

Sincerely,

Robert W. Fri  
Acting Administrator

cc: Walter Elder  
Executive Secretary, NFIB

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